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METHOD, DATA STRUCTURE AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING

OBJECT LEVEL RENDERING CONTROL USING TAGGED

SECONDARY RESOURCES

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Dear Sir/Madam:

In reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 5, 2004, enclosed please find the following Replacement Section as specifically requested in paragraph 4(E) of said Notice.

This Replacement Section is filed for the purpose of stating the status of all the claims; no other amendments, additions or deletions are made apart from the original Response filed March 25, 2004.